

**SALE OF NEGROES.**—At a sale of Negroes this morning, by Jacob Cohen, belonging to the estate of Mrs. James Hart, 24 brought an average of \$100. One man brought \$110, and two women, house servants, \$750 each; one woman brought \$900.—*Evening News, 18th inst.*

**THE HON. W. F. DE SAUSSURE**, who was appointed by the Executive to fill out the unexpired term of the Hon. R. B. Rhett, took his departure last Wednesday morning for Washington.

**INCENDIARISM.**—The blacksmith shop of Charles McCullough, Esq., was destroyed by fire on Wednesday night. As all the fires in the shop were extinguished in the evening, it is supposed the building was fired. The suspicion is strengthened by the fact of one carrying a torch, having been seen to go into the shop after night.—*Carolinian.*

**MR. CLAY'S PHYSICIAN** and friend, Dr. Jackson, has returned to Philadelphia, indulging no hope of his recovery; but pronounces his early death inevitable.

**HON. JONAS J. EVANS.**—The Marion Star states that rumor says that the friends of Judge Evans have nominated him, as a candidate before the next Legislature, for the position of United States Senator to represent this State, for the six years next after the 4th of March, 1853.

#### Acknowledgments.

With thanks, we acknowledge the receipt of the following subscriptions to this date:

M. C. Heath, Curston's Store	2 00
Jno. T. Mackey, Dry Creek	2 00
Dr. T. F. McDow, Liberty Hill	2 00
Alfred Andrews, Pleasant Hill	2 00
A. M. Canton, Jr.	2 00
J. D. Barker, Lancaster	2 00
J. D. Melvin, do	2 00
R. D. M. Dunlap, do	1 00
Gibson Broom, Monroe, N. C.	1 00
R. Hager, Pilot Ridge	2 00
E. Yarbrough, do	1 00
J. J. Slagter, Belair	1 00
Drayton Fudge, Chesterville	2 00

Whenever mistakes occur in receipts, or any omission is made, the subscribers interested will please inform us, so that proper corrections can be made.

#### Marriages.

In this District, on the 8th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Seal, Mr. CHARLES MADISON BROWN, of Chester District, to Miss MARY ANN DUNLAP, of Lancaster.

On Thursday evening, the 13th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Fonville, Mr. A. A. McDowell, to Miss MARY ANN, daughter of Robert Reeves, Esq., all of Kershaw District.

At Russell Place, on Wednesday evening, 13th inst., by Rev. Mr. Hoyt, Captain JOHN L. JONES, to Miss SARAH STINSON, all of Kershaw District.

#### Deaths.

Departed this life, in Columbia, at the residence of Mr. Theodore S. Dubose, on Sunday night, May 16, in the communion of God's Holy Church, Mr. AUGUSTUS POMEROY, in the 39th year of his age.

On Tuesday morning, the 11th inst., at his residence in Chester District, near Cedar Shoals, Mr. WM. HEATH, aged about 57 years. The deceased was an estimable man, a worthy citizen and an exemplary christian. He leaves a wife and family.

On Thursday, the 13th inst., in Chester District, Mrs. J. Ross, relict of Abraham Ross, deceased.

#### COMMERCIAL.

##### The Markets.

**CHARLESTON,** May 22.—COTTON.—There was a good demand for the cotton yesterday, the transactions having reached fully 2200 bales, at very full and advancing prices. The sales comprised 5 bales at 74, 74 1/2, 75, 75 1/2, 76, 76 1/2, 77, 77 1/2, 78, 78 1/2, 79, 79 1/2, 80, 80 1/2, 81, 81 1/2, 82, 82 1/2, 83, 83 1/2, 84, 84 1/2, 85, 85 1/2, 86, 86 1/2, 87, 87 1/2, 88, 88 1/2, 89, 89 1/2, 90, 90 1/2, 91, 91 1/2, 92, 92 1/2, 93, 93 1/2, 94, 94 1/2, 95, 95 1/2, 96, 96 1/2, 97, 97 1/2, 98, 98 1/2, 99, 99 1/2, 100, 100 1/2, 101, 101 1/2, 102, 102 1/2, 103, 103 1/2, 104, 104 1/2, 105, 105 1/2, 106, 106 1/2, 107, 107 1/2, 108, 108 1/2, 109, 109 1/2, 110, 110 1/2, 111, 111 1/2, 112, 112 1/2, 113, 113 1/2, 114, 114 1/2, 115, 115 1/2, 116, 116 1/2, 117, 117 1/2, 118, 118 1/2, 119, 119 1/2, 120, 120 1/2, 121, 121 1/2, 122, 122 1/2, 123, 123 1/2, 124, 124 1/2, 125, 125 1/2, 126, 126 1/2, 127, 127 1/2, 128, 128 1/2, 129, 129 1/2, 130, 130 1/2, 131, 131 1/2, 132, 132 1/2, 133, 133 1/2, 134, 134 1/2, 135, 135 1/2, 136, 136 1/2, 137, 137 1/2, 138, 138 1/2, 139, 139 1/2, 140, 140 1/2, 141, 141 1/2, 142, 142 1/2, 143, 143 1/2, 144, 144 1/2, 145, 145 1/2, 146, 146 1/2, 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